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Source is the father of [redacted], who has just returned from Cairo where he talked with Shaykh Saïd Abdin, a follower of Mu-Grand Mufti of Jerusalem Hajj Amin Husayni.

For [redacted] TOSMA-1/611,601 referenced in Field Comment is NIA 1114.  
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SUBJECT Relationship between ex-Grand Mufti of Jerusalem Hajj Amin Husayni and UAR President Abd-al-Nasir

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REFERENCES

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PLACE & DATE ACQ Jordan, Jerusalem (30 October 1959)

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SOURCE: An untested Jordanian businessman (F); from Shaykh Sabri Abdin.  
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1. Field Comment. TDCSD-3/641,601 reported a visit to King Husayn of Jordan by Munif Husayni, a relative of the ex-Grand Mufti of Jerusalem, Hajj Amin Husayni, who said that Jamal Abd-al-Nasir, President of the United Arab Republic (UAR), had begun to attack Hajj Amin after he refused to support a separate Palestinian Government which would have the support of the UAR.
2. The announcement of troubles between the ex-Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and President Abd-al-Nasir was false. All offices of the ex-Grand Mufti in Cairo are still working. It is true that Hajj Amin Husayni and his followers did meet with Abd-al-Nasir but they refused to endorse Abd-al-Nasir's proposal to accept Israel as a country if the terms of the 1947 United Nations Palestine Resolution were enforced. Abd-al-Nasir then instructed Hajj Amin to go to Lebanon and to stay there until November 1959, at which time he should return to Cairo.

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